

### **Article 3 Continuing Education.**

#### **Section 34-21-40**

##### **Duty of Board of Nursing to provide programs, seminars, and workshops.**

To meet the health care needs of the citizens of Alabama and to cope with the rapidly changing methods of health care delivery, the Alabama Board of Nursing is authorized and directed to provide quality continuing education programs, seminars, and workshops to acquaint and educate nurses in the most current and modern nursing procedures. These continuing education programs in nursing shall be designed to insure that nurses will be educated in the latest technics of health care delivery.

*(Acts 1976, No. 749, p. 1030, §1; Acts 1977, No. 758, p. 1298, §1.)*

#### **Section 34-21-41**

##### **Grants, contracts, etc., with individuals, institutions, and agencies.**

The Alabama Board of Nursing is authorized and directed to develop continuing education programs designed to meet the criteria outlined in Section 34-21-40. The Alabama Board of Nursing is authorized to make grants, contracts, appropriations, and to otherwise arrange with qualified individuals, institutions, or agencies to develop and implement comprehensive nursing education programs, seminars, and workshops that will insure the promotion, dissemination, and availability of modern nursing and health care technics to the citizens of Alabama.

*(Acts 1976, No. 749, p. 1030, §2; Acts 1977, No. 758, p. 1298, §2.)*

#### **Section 34-21-42**

##### **Plans, programs, and criteria.**

The Board of Nursing is hereby authorized and directed to establish plans, programs, and criteria sufficient to carry out continuing education programs for nurses outlined in Sections 34-21-40 and 34-21-41.

*(Acts 1976, No. 749, p. 1030, §3; Acts 1977, No. 758, p. 1298, §3.)*

#### **Section 34-21-43**

##### **Source of funds.**

All expenses in developing and conducting educational programs, seminars, and workshops under this article shall be paid from funds of the Board of Nursing. No expenses shall be borne by the State of Alabama from the General Fund of the state.

*(Acts 1976, No. 749, p. 1030, §4; Acts 1977, No. 758, p. 1298, §4.)*